

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

HAN et al.

Serial No.:

10/695,964

For:

METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING NI-AI ALLOY ANODE

FOR FUEL CELLS USING NICKEL POWDERS

Filed:

October 29, 2003

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Daniel J. Jenkins

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Customer No.:

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Attorney Docket No.: 0001425USU/2242

Mail Stop Amendment **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

We are enclosing a Response in response to the communication dated March 16, 2005 in the above-identified application.

| F | etition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby |
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| made if, | and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to |
| be \$ | to extend the time for filing this response until |

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

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| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | | Highe Numb Previo Pai | per usly | Present Extra | Rate | |
| Total Claims | 2 | Minus | 20 | 0 | | x \$50.00 | \$ |
| Independent Claims | 2 | Minus | 3 | 0 | | x \$200.00 | \$ |
| MULT | | | | | x \$360.00 = \$ | | |
| TOTA | | | | \$0.00 | | | |
| 1/2 FILING FEE | | | | \$N/A | | | |

| The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be $\frac{0.00}{}$. |
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| A check in the amount of \$ is attached. |
| The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-0467. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed. |
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| I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, ON |
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION

Dear Sir:

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed on March 16, 2006, in the above-referenced application:

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